

United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.usplu.gov

FIRST NAMED APPLICANT U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO. ATTY. DOCKET NO. 264719US90PCT Katsumi Sekiguchi 10/521,446

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.

PCT/JP03/09105

22850 OBLON, SPIVAK, MCCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C. 1940 DUKE STREET ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314

I.A. FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE 07/17/2003 07/17/2002

CONFIRMATION NO. 8801 371 FORMALITIES LETTER *OC000000016500271*

Date Mailed: 07/13/2005

NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/14/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 01/14/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 03/18/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/14/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/14/2005
- Power of Attorney filed on 01/14/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

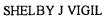
 Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.



Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 224

PART 2 - OFFICE COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/521,446	PCT/JP03/09105	264719US90PCT

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)